

MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE AND REPAIR ACT (EXCERPT)
Act 300 of 1974

***** 257.1310 THIS SECTION IS AMENDED EFFECTIVE APRIL 4, 2017: See 257.1310.amended *****

257.1310 Certification as specialty mechanic; repair or service categories for which certification required; certification fee; initial specialty mechanic's certificate in BAIID service; examination; qualification for master mechanic's certificate.

Sec. 10. (1) Subject to subsection (3), an individual may become certified as a specialty mechanic if he or she passes an examination, developed by the administrator or developed by a private entity and adopted by the administrator, that the administrator determines is an adequate test of an individual's ability to perform certain types of motor vehicle repair. The repair or service categories for which certification is required include the following and any others specified by the administrator by rule:

- (a) Engine repair.
- (b) Automatic transmission repair.
- (c) Manual transmission and rear axle repair.
- (d) Front end repair.
- (e) Repair of brakes.
- (f) Electrical systems repair.
- (g) Heating and air conditioning repair.
- (h) Engine tune-up.
- (i) Pre-1973 motor vehicle repair.
- (j) BAIID service.

(2) An individual may apply for a specialty mechanic's certificate in any or all repair categories but he or she is required to pay only 1 certification fee if he or she makes the applications for more than 1 category at 1 time.

(3) On application, the department shall issue an initial specialty mechanic's certificate in BAIID service, without examination, to an individual who holds a valid specialty mechanic's certificate in electrical systems repair on the effective date of the amendatory act that added this subsection.

(4) Within 120 days after the effective date of the amendatory act that added section 10a, the administrator shall develop or adopt an examination for specialty mechanic certification in the repair or service category described in subsection (1)(j) for an individual who is engaged, for compensation, in BAIID service.

(5) An individual may apply for and receive a master mechanic's certificate if he or she is qualified as a specialty mechanic in all categories of motor vehicle repair described in subsection (1), except that qualification in a specialty category described in subsection (1)(i) or (j) is not necessary for a master mechanic's certificate.

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